

Halifax River Yacht Club have a launch race Christmas day.

S. F. Loder, of Pensacola, N. and Mrs. Melvin Horton, of the place, are occupying part of Phillips house on Valley street, Edell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Poor, of Owassa, Minn., are new arrivals at the Volusia House. Mrs. Poor has rheumatism very bad, and has come to Daytona to see if she can't get relief.

The Volusia County Medical Society will meet at Daytona, January 5, 1904. An instructive and interesting program is being arranged. Visiting physicians are cordially invited to attend. Watch for announcement card.

Anderson & Price, of the Ormond, purchased the old Coquina, which has been closed for a long time in consequence of its non-payable character, and re-christened it the Inn, which they opened last day.

Perkins Smith, the County Tax collector, is in the city, and hangs out in the City Hotel at meal time. Perkins had the misfortune to strain his ankle while chasing a deer the other day, and now navigates crutches.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Trunkay and daughter, Lucile, of Spokane, Trumbull County, Ohio, arrived here Friday to spend the winter. They have rooms at Edmund Miller's at the corner of Cedar and Myrtle.

Mr. and Miss Windle, of New Providence, R. I., are guests at the Sunny Side. Miss Rae had, in connection with the Sunny Side, leased a cottage adjoining also. She informed the Gazette-News reporter that it was already sub-let for the season to parties from the north.

Geo. H. Clark has a fine display of candy for Xmas.

The Oaks is getting its share in general distribution of patronage from the traveling public. The following are some of the late arrivals: Thos. Farrell and wife, Cincinnati, O.; M. T. Catter and wife, Akron, O.; Mrs. Amanda Summers, Evanston, Ill.; Albert Sink and wife, Danville, O.; J. M. Olmsted and daughter, Hobart, N. Y.

Have you a new house or handsomely furnished room? Why not have it photographed by Harris' Studio, 106 N. Beach; Phone 91.

John Waltham, Bethlehem, Pa., is registered at the Daytona House; also E. M. Weston, New Haven, Conn., and Miss Patterson, Boston, Mass. Mr. Waltham was here last winter. He certainly speaks well for our people and climate that we can hold tourists from year to year when we think of the tendency of human nature to always seek something better, even when well satisfied.

Hot rolls, cinnamon buns, etc., fresh every day at the Gramling Bakery.

The work of beautifying by flower-stands and beds goes right on at the Gables. Mrs. McGriff is quite busy with correspondence relative to accommodations and terms just at present. Three of her rooms are already engaged for the winter by guests not yet arrived, and others are being held back for final decisions. The News reporter opines the Gables will be a very popular place this winter.

Embroidery Silk and Stamping, at Mrs. A. Merrill and daughter have rooms at The Howard. Mrs. Merrill and her husband were here ten years ago, and fell in love with the place, which time their impression of charms has not waned. When choice of Daytona or California offered her this winter, Mrs. Merrill gave the preference to our city-by-the-sea. Mrs. Merrill, with her Miss Guile, of Lincoln, special friend to her.

The Gramling Bakery makes Rye and Wheat bread every day. They added to their baking facilities and sell any quantity.

Gamble, of Asbury Park, N. J., is registered at The Dillingham on Myrtle. He is a successful hotel proprietor and manager himself, and a good judge of the requirements of a resort. He has many friends and acquaintances in Seaside and Daytona, having spent two winters at the Clarendon Hotel. Mr. Gamble is now visiting his friend, Mr. Wood, on Ridgewood, but has expressed an intention of renting a beach cottage later.

W. W. Vick, of Jacksonville, was visiting with Daytona friends Sunday and Monday.

The telephone card issued this week shows the addition of a number of new subscribers.

The "Ida" was launched last Friday at McDonald's Boat Yard, and is now undergoing repairs.

George Pollard's motorcycle and a carriage collided Tuesday, breaking the crank of the motorcycle.

Mrs. E. P. Porcher returned to Rockledge Thursday, after a visit with her sister, Mrs. D. A. Blodgett.

Santa Claus is putting in a big line of attractions for the kids. He is evidently going to be both liberal and prolific.

W. W. Smith and wife, of Cincinnati, arrived Tuesday afternoon and are very comfortably located at The Despland.

Misses F. G. Feaster and Coward are now at home to their friends on Ridgewood. They take their meals at The Bennett.

A. H. Farrar, wife and step-daughter, Miss Hortense, Kinderhook, N. Y., are stopping at the popular Parkinson House.

Captain Brigham and family, of Chicago, who have been stopping at the Palms, are now occupying Graham Thompson's cottage, on Myrtle avenue.

R. J. Malby and A. McF. Porter returned Monday evening from a hunting trip to the Oak Hill Cut. They brought back a liberal supply of ducks.

Joe Hooker Post No. 9, G. A. R., will hold a camp fire at the City Hotel New Years. All old soldiers, whether they wore the blue or gray, are invited.

H. C. Warner and wife, of St. Paul, Minn., who have been stopping at The Bennett, left Tuesday for brief visits to Palm Beach, Miami and Nassau.

New stock of Holiday gift books just received at Clark's.

L. S. Gamble, of Asbury Park, N. J., has registered at the Stanley House for the season. Mr. Gamble is a hotel man. This is not his first trip to Daytona, and he evidently knows a good place to return to in the winter months.

Huyler's Bon-Bons and Chocolates. Geo. H. Clark exclusive agent.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Young, from Troy, Vt., located last Monday at the corner of Cedar and Palmetto streets, where they are occupying a portion of the Edmund Miller cottage, and have gone to light house-keeping. They have come here to enjoy the climate during the winter.

The clerks at Moore Bros. are too busy to take cognizance of the town happenings. They have got on their Christmas rush already, and are not much help to the Daily News item hunter. However, we will have to forgive them, as they have all promised to reform next July.

At the meeting held at the Congregational Church Wednesday night for the purpose of electing officers to serve the Sunday School for the ensuing year the following were chosen: Dr. J. P. Esch, Superintendent; B. Foster, Vice-Superintendent; Wm. Peck, Secretary and Treasurer; Miss Ella Willaume, Organist.

Buy your little boy a Norfolk suit for Christmas, at J. A. Hendricks. A new lot just received.

August H. Schmidt came in on the night train Wednesday from New York City. He says there were numerous passengers en route to Key West and Nassau, who expect to spend the month of February and March in Daytona; also that the Automobile Meet was a subject of great interest to them. The presence of his son will relieve senior Schmidt of a part of the too numerous demands upon his time and thought.

Baby caps, sacques, short and long cloaks, men's wool gloves, ladies' sweaters, and many other things just received at J. A. Hendricks.

Mrs. Arnold has a Cuban parrot that is quite a paragon, as parrots go. This Charles Green, by name, is permitted to take recreation all by himself every morning. He came back with a pinched, lame toe the other morning as the result of a call upon Mrs. Blodgett's parrot. It seems that Mr. Green's manifestation of friendliness was mistaken as an act of aggression, and the intruding claw received a cruel snip from the sharp beak of his caged friend (?).

Cleveland's Minstrels will appear in Daytona shortly.

Mrs. A. C. Barnett, of St. Augustine, is visiting Daytona friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Starr are now in Paris, but will go to Niece shortly to spend the winter.

Three carloads of help for the Royal Poinciana passed through here Saturday en route to Palm Beach.

It is reported that Dr. H. P. Harley is unable to return to Daytona as expected, on account of illness.

Peter Carrellas met with an accident while riding his bicycle Monday, which resulted in a sprained arm.

Mrs. George Pooley and family, of Buffalo, N. Y., arrived Sunday evening and are located on the peninsula.

Miss O. Brennemann, Julius Brennemann and Alfred Brennemann, of Peru, Ill., are all guests of the Dillingham.

W. W. Johnston is convalescing from sickness contracted immediately upon his return to Detroit from Daytona.

G. J. Zehnbaum, claim agent for the Florida East Coast Railway, was in Daytona Tuesday adjusting cattle claims.

The target range committee of the Halifax Rifles will locate a rifle range at once and practice will be taken up immediately.

County Commissioner McBride has bought Sheriff Turner's orange crop and is now at Port Orange picking the fruit.

Huyler's Xmas Candies just received at Clark's.

Ralph M. Fay and Edw. Hazen, of Chicago, arrived Tuesday for a couple month's stay in Daytona. They are friends of Capt. E. E. Lawrence.

Ladies' and gents' wool underwear just received at J. A. Hendricks.

Mrs. L. M. Waite, of Narragansett Pier, R. I., and her mother, Mrs. E. C. Jacobs, of Cincinnati, arrived Monday and are temporarily located at The Morgan.

One of F. D. Casey's launches was beached near St. Augustine Tuesday morning during the blow. The boat was on the way from Jacksonville to Daytona.

Hurd's fine stationery, in fancy boxes, for Christmas gifts, at Clark's.

Manager Wicking, of the Electric Light Plant, informs us that lights have recently been installed in the Troy House, Tourist House and C. E. Starr's cottage.

W. C. Quinlin, of Barre, Vt., who is located in the Erickson cottage, on Cottage avenue, for the season, returned Wednesday morning from a brief visit to Miami.

A. C. Huckle and family, of Belleville, Ill., who were transients at the European, have succeeded in finding suitable rooms in part of the Carson cottage on Ridgewood.

Daytona Souvenir Post Cards at Clark's jewelry store.

Several of the desirable rooms at the Parkinson House have been taken within the past few days. The comfort of her guests is a first consideration with Mrs. Parkinson.

A nice assortment of handkerchiefs for Christmas, as presents, at J. A. Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. McClellan Hurd and son, Perry E. Hurd, of Cleveland, have engaged a suite of rooms at The Despland, and are expected here this week. This will make their third season at this popular hotel.

Peanut Trees for sale. Safer than the orange, early bearing. Rome or Columbia and Pasco varieties, on hickory stock, raised by E. N. WALDRON.

At the choral meeting last Wednesday evening it was voted to hold an election at the next regular meeting, Monday evening, to decide as to time of meeting. Prof. Blount is spoken of in the highest terms by the members of his class as a qualified and gifted director.

The lovers of music in attendance on Christmas service at St. Mary's Church are promised an extra treat by the way of solos rendered by Messrs. Lawrence and Roxby. Also the remark has been made lately that Miss Pitcher's voice is a much appreciated addition to the choir.

Tritivation of the lawns and premises of private residences is in lively progress. As cleanliness and beauty is in close correlation with Godliness, it is manifest many are endeavoring to give their lawns a good appearance in consonance with their daily actions.

W. E. Moores, Knoxville, Tenn., is stopping at the Dillingham.

A whist was a social feature at The Dillingham Wednesday evening.

Theo. and Breba Holly, of Peru, Ill., are registered at the Dillingham.

R. B. Goodson and wife, Hannibal, Mo., are at the Despland for a few days.

The placidity of the water on the river yesterday induced tourists to resume fishing.

Frank C. Kelly and family, of Milwaukee, Wis., are guests at the stately Ridgewood.

Samuel T. Simpkin, and Geo. B. Emerson, both of New York, are guests of Schmidt's Villa.

The Florida Motor Co. is erecting an auto garage 40x65 feet, on the rear of their office and salesrooms.

E. C. Cullin, Chester, Pa., is registered at the Despland, where he will remain for the rest of the season.

H. Y. Stillman has purchased F. X. Conrad's automobile. The sale was made through the Florida Motor Co.

Mr. Kerby a guest of the Troy House, has been making some good trout catches in spite of the adverse winds.

Worthen A. Gove arrived home from Atlanta Sunday on a vacation. He was accompanied by Dr. Jewett, of the Atlanta Dental College, who is his guest.

W. E. Radabaugh and wife, of Bowling Green, Ohio, have rented part of the Miller house, at the corner of Cedar street and Palmetto avenue, for the season.

Mrs. McKenzie, who has been at the Parkinson House for a month past, is expecting her husband to spend the Holidays with her. He is now in Winnipeg, Canada.

Mrs. Elizabeth Zinn and her sister, Miss Goodwin, of Cincinnati, expect to arrive today and have engaged rooms at The Despland. They are friends of the Wilder family.

H. V. Bailey is making a cover and sixteen mattresses for the county convict cage, which was brought to Daytona a couple weeks ago. The cage will be put in use as soon as work is commenced on the Daytona-New Smyrna road.

J. M. Douglass and wife, of Torquay, England, are welcome additions to Daytona's winter residents. They stopped off here for a couple of days but were so infatuated with the city that they rented the Starr cottage, on Palmetto avenue, for the season.

Just received, two carloads of nice, dry, live oak, at Earl's Wood Yard.

The Uncle Sam, with a party from Ormond, consisting of Messrs. W. A. Barker, Weaver and Ferguson went up the Tomoka to tow the Princess Isena, the Ormond Hotel steamer, down to the hotel landing. There was plenty of water going in, but coming out the tide had fallen eight inches. They anchored the boats and all hands walked from Mount Oswald Point to Ormond, fully eight miles. The tide rising the next day, they returned and brought the boats out.

Buy a nice pair of shoes, for a Christmas present, at J. A. Hendricks.

Coming down from Jacksonville the other day, the News reporter overheard a gentlemanly, fine-looking traveler say to his companion: "Daytona and Seabreeze are the most beautiful towns in Florida." Somebody behind him said, "Thank you," in a low tone; then somebody else said: "You do not need to thank people for speaking the truth, do you?" And it is true that we have heard this story so many times that we have past the stage of vain glory in what we have to offer. In fact, the beauties of Ridgewood, our beach drives, our sunsets on the Halifax, and our moonrises on the ocean have all been word painted in glowing colors thousands of times, and yet the reality of it will always out-do the wording.

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SOUTHBOUND—READ DOWN		NORTHBOUND	
No. 29 Daily	No. 29 Daily	STATIONS.	No. 29 Daily
8:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.	Jacksonville	8:40 a.m.
8:05 p.m.	8:05 a.m.	St. Augustine	8:45 a.m.
8:10 p.m.	8:10 a.m.	St. Augustine	8:50 a.m.
8:15 p.m.	8:15 a.m.	Palatka	8:55 a.m.
8:20 p.m.	8:20 a.m.	Palatka	9:00 a.m.
8:25 p.m.	8:25 a.m.	San Mateo	9:05 a.m.
8:30 p.m.	8:30 a.m.	San Mateo	9:10 a.m.
8:35 p.m.	8:35 a.m.	Neoma	9:15 a.m.
8:40 p.m.	8:40 a.m.	Bunnell	9:20 a.m.
8:45 p.m.	8:45 a.m.	DuPont	9:25 a.m.
8:50 p.m.	8:50 a.m.	Ormond	9:30 a.m.
8:55 p.m.	8:55 a.m.	Daytona	9:35 a.m.
9:00 p.m.	9:00 a.m.	Port Orange	9:40 a.m.
9:05 p.m.	9:05 a.m.	New Smyrna	9:45 a.m.
9:10 p.m.	9:10 a.m.	Oak Hill	9:50 a.m.
9:15 p.m.	9:15 a.m.	Titusville	9:55 a.m.
9:20 p.m.	9:20 a.m.	Cocoa	10:00 a.m.
9:25 p.m.	9:25 a.m.	Rockledge	10:05 a.m.
9:30 p.m.	9:30 a.m.	East Galilee	10:10 a.m.
9:35 p.m.	9:35 a.m.	McBournie	10:15 a.m.
9:40 p.m.	9:40 a.m.	Sebastian	10:20 a.m.
9:45 p.m.	9:45 a.m.	St. Louis	10:25 a.m.
9:50 p.m.	9:50 a.m.	St. Pierre	10:30 a.m.
9:55 p.m.	9:55 a.m.	Tierras	10:35 a.m.
10:00 p.m.	10:00 a.m.	Eden	10:40 a.m.
10:05 p.m.	10:05 a.m.	Jensen	10:45 a.m.
10:10 p.m.	10:10 a.m.	Start	10:50 a.m.
10:15 p.m.	10:15 a.m.	Hobe Sound	10:55 a.m.
10:20 p.m.	10:20 a.m.	West Jupiter	11:00 a.m.
10:25 p.m.	10:25 a.m.	West Palm Beach	11:05 a.m.
10:30 p.m.	10:30 a.m.	Palm Beach	11:10 a.m.
10:35 p.m.	10:35 a.m.	Brynton	11:15 a.m.
10:40 p.m.	10:40 a.m.	Delray	11:20 a.m.
10:45 p.m.	10:45 a.m.	Fort Lauderdale	11:25 a.m.
10:50 p.m.	10:50 a.m.	Hallandale	11:30 a.m.
10:55 p.m.	10:55 a.m.	Lemon City	11:35 a.m.
11:00 p.m.	11:00 a.m.	Miami	11:40 a.m.

SCHEDULES OF BRANCH LINES.

SANFORD BRANCH		ORANGE CITY BRANCH	
No. 11 Daily	STATIONS.	No. 12 Daily	STATIONS.
8:00 a.m.	Titusville	8:00 a.m.	Orlando
8:05 a.m.	Mims	8:05 a.m.	Orlando
8:10 a.m.	Enterprise	8:10 a.m.	Orlando
8:15 a.m.	Sanford	8:15 a.m.	Orlando

MAYPORT BRANCH.

No. 13 Daily	STATIONS.	No. 14 Daily	STATIONS.
8:00 a.m.	Jacksonville	8:00 a.m.	Jacksonville
8:05 a.m.	Palm Beach	8:05 a.m.	Palm Beach
8:10 a.m.	Alachua	8:10 a.m.	Alachua
8:15 a.m.	Mayport	8:15 a.m.	Mayport

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Effective from Miami, Fla., Tuesday December 15, 1903.

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Leave Key West, Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays

Arrive Miami, Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays

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Arrive Nassau, December 22, 25 and January 1

Leave Nassau, December 26, 29 and January 2

Arrive Miami, December 30, 31 and January 3

Effective from Miami, Fla., Monday January 4, 1904.

Leave Miami, Mondays and Thursdays

Arrive Nassau, Tuesdays and Fridays

Leave Nassau, Wednesdays and Saturdays

Arrive Miami, Thursdays and Sundays

For copy of Local Time Card or other information address any Agent.

J. D. RAHNER, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent, ST. AUGUSTINE.

Chas. E. Corn, of Tampa, and A. C. Huckle, wife and daughter, of Belleville, Ill., registered at the European Wednesday. Mr. Huckle came south for his wife's health and expects to locate in some cottage as speedily as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. C. Minneapolis, Minn., will be in Daytona today and will be at The Despland for the Christmas season. Mrs. Church holds the championship lady fisher in having landed a fifty-pound last season.